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STILL IN DOUBT

Great Danger of Losing the Polo Grounds.

Divided Opinion in the Aldermen's Special Committee.

"The Evening World" Publicly Recognized as the Baseball Champion.

The Full Board Will Take Decided Action Next Tuesday.

It was expected that the Aldermanic Committee on Public Works would hold another meeting this morning, in order that they might try to come to a conclusion in regard to the grading of One Hundred and Eleventh street. But Chairman Divver said this morning to the reporter who presented him with the fifth bundle of Evening Wonld petitions that the Committee had deeided not to meet again, but merely to refer the entire question to the Board of Aldermen, assembled at 1 o'clock to-day.

Before the assembling of the Aldermen the corridors of the City Hall were crowded with proponents and or ponents of the measure, and a great deal of lobbying was indulged in. In the crowd which filled the Aldermanic

Chamber were Pitchers George and Titcomb, or the New York baseball team, and Lawyer Blackhurst, counsel for the New York Amusement

When the report of the Public Works Committee announcing their failure to agree was read, Alderman Divver arose and said that after two weeks' considera-tion of the resolutions the Committee had disterday, by a vote of 3 to 3 (one member refuling to vote), decided to leave the considera-

tich of the matter to the full Board. Ye added that one paper, THE EVENING WORLD, had been very active in the interest of the New York Baseball Club. That he had received a petition with 10,000 signatures against. opening the street, which he presented for the consideration of the Board.

On motion of Alderman Storm, the Committee was discharged from further consideration of the matter and the report accepted.

This was not done, however, until an amendment of Alderman Shea to make it a special order for next Tuesday, was declared out of

Alderman Flynn then moved that the resolution be made a special order, to be discussed in Committee of the Whole immediately after the reading of the minutes next Tuesday. This was carried without opposition.

It is gratifying to note the alacrity with which the readers of THE EVENING WORLD responded to the appeal to save the Polo Grounds. Batches of petitions reach us by every mail and the supply seems inexhaustible. The fifth bundle of petitions was sent to the Alderman this morning. We shall continue to send them in as fast as received until the matter is settled. Here is

"THE EVENING WORLD " PETITION

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To the Board of Aldermen of New York City:

The undersigned, residents of New York and vicinity and admirers of the National game, believing that it is not inconsistent with the majority of private interests involved, and knowing that it is in accordance with the desire and sentiments of the great majority of the public, that the Polo Grounds shall not be rendered unit for baseball playing this season by the grading of One Hundred and Eleventh street through the grounds.

One Hundred and Eleventh street through the grounds.

Hereby petition your honorable body that no action providing for the grading of said street through the Polo Grounds shall be taken until after Oct. I next, thereby enabling the Polo Grounds to be used by the New York baseball public and its champion nine this season and affording ample time for the securing of permanent grounds for use in future seasons.

We base this petition purely upon public grounds, in the belief that the interests of the National game in the National metropolis merit the consideration and encouragement of the constituted authorities.

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Scott, fr., of 380 Broadway, who heads a list of nearly sixty; J. Moran, of 339 East Thirteenth street, who sends fitty-sight, also many other kind friends whom space presents us from men-

Thanks, Zealous Worker. To the Editor of the Evening World:

Inclosed find petition slip with 133 signatures, which makes with those I sent you on the 23d A. C. LARTER, 2262 Eighth avenue.

Twenty-five " Nalis " Inclosed. 20 the Editor of The Evening World: Here are a few more nails for a new Polo Grounds fence. Yours, CHAS. H. ROBINSON.

A Physician's Tribute.

To the Editor of The Evening World: Inclosed find a small list of names for the purpose of saving the Polo Grounds. I will send you to-morrow about 75 to 100 more names, and hope that as a lover of our National game and an admirer and reader of The Evenino World your project shall be won.

Dr. G. W. TESCHER.

Wild Mexican Bandits.

the Touring Magnate.

Into Print To-Day.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]
BALTIMORE, March 26.—A wild and improb able story is printed to-day, under a San Antonio date, in the American, dealing with an alleged plot on the part of Mexican brigands to capture Robert Garrett and hold his person for a heavy ransom from his friends.

The story purports to be an explanation of the Garrett party's change of plans in visiting Georgia and Florida instead of Mexico. The reports of Mr. Garrett's immense wealth.

The reports of Mr. Garrett's immense wealth, published in the Mexican papers, are said to have led to the conspiracy.

Bunners were sent out to track the party, and at a certain point across the border several of the conspirators were to board the cars secretly and then pull the engine bell, so as to stop the train at a prearranged place familiar to the secouts. Here the waiting outlaws were to rush into the cars, each man with his rifle cocked and ready for action.

Mr. Garrett and such others as the brigands chose to take were then to be seized and carried to a cave.

The terms of release were to be sent to Mr. Garrett's friends, who would be warned that only square business would effect a release.

Otherwise Mr. Garrett was to be held a captive indefinitely, possibly until the State Department at Washington had arranged with the Mexican Government to send troops to the rescue.

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The plot is alleged to have been found out through the careless disclosures made by one of the brigands who got drunk in San Autonio.

M'ALLISTER MAY BE SOLD OUT.

The Leader of the 400 Has Until June 10 to Pay Up His Back Taxes.

Can Mr. Ward McAllister pause in his wild career a moment? Comptroder Myers sends notice that he will sell him out, at Battery place and Morris, until he, McAllister, pays \$2.10, due since 1881. Surely the 400 will put up 50 cents each for Wardie, won't they?—Morning Paper.

The name of the famous leader of New York's select four hundred appears at the head of the list of delinquent taxpayers just issued from the Comptroller's office, and unless he pays the amount before June 10 he will be sold out under the auctioneer's hammer at the County Courthouse on the date mentioned.

His property is at Nos. 11 and 19 West street, and he owes \$240 taxes and \$15 in Croton water rent, due since 1884.

Mr. McAllister has plenty of artistocratic ompany in the same sort of soup with himself, for a little further down the list apprar the names of John Stuart, Peter Goelet, W. H. Aspinwall, E. R. Livermore, J. Kernochan, E. Wanataff, William Rhinelander and a lot other prominent real-estate owners of Gotham.

JOHN SHERMAN TO VISIT EUROPE.

Fair Play Demanded for Treasury Women -Washington News-Gossip.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD I WASHINGTON, D. C., March 26.—Senator Sherman is going to Europe as soon as the Senate adjourns. He said this morning that preparations were almost completed for his de-parture. He does not expect to return before

WINDOM AND THE WOMEN'S LEAGUE.

Charlotte Smith, of the Women's League, has demanded recognition from Secretary Windom.

She swooped down upon him yesterday and made him promise that the Treasury Department would give wage-women fair play.

Hepresentative S. S. Cox was at the White House this morning for the first time since the Aministration changed. He went to talk to the President about census matters, but the President about census matters, but the President about census matters, but the William of any long conversation, so Mr. Cox will have to call again. He said he did not care who was appointed Superintendent of Census so long as he was a good man.

THE NAYI AT THE CENTENNIAL. INDOM AND THE WOMEN'S LEAGUE. THE NAVY AT THE CENTENNIAL.

Naval officers here are making a good deal of fuss because the naval portion of the Washing-ton Inaugural Centennial has been piaced in charge of a retired army officer. They will insist on Admiral Jouett's appointment as head of the naval demonstration.

Patent Casino Opera Glasses Pawned. Julius Raders, of 27 Platt street, was arraigned in the Tombs Police Court this morning on a charge of stealing a pair of the "Drop-a-quartor-in-the-slot" opera glasses from the rear of a tor-in-the-slot" opera glasses from the rear of a seat in the Casino. A man named Patrick Kelly had been arrested by Detective Carr for trying to be been arrested by Detective Carr for trying to be been to be said that he obtained them from Raders.

Manager P. S. Ackermau, of the Opera Glass Company, appeared against the prisoner. Raders said he bought the glasses from a boy on Broadway, paying 75 cents for them. The examination was adjourned until next Thursday, and bail was set at \$500.

Peter Paul Mahoney Dying. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD,] WASHINGTON, D. C., March 26, -At noon the attending physicians had given up all hope of doing anything for the relief of ex-Representa-tive Mahoney, and the priests were called in to administer extreme unction. His death is mo-mentarily expected.

Amateur Baseball Notes. A few good players wanted be, ween sixteen and seven-en years, 304 East Eighty-third street. The Elites have organized as follows: F. Broe, p. : H. McManus, c. : A. Sterling, let b. : J. Gillen, 2d b. : J. Nobie, s. s. : J. McHogh, 3d b.; J. Lowe, f. : J. Smith. c. f. : J. Beer, r. f. : L. Keller and F. De Nobie, substitutes. J. Nobie, 238 East One Hundred and Fifth street.

Two good players want to join a nine. C. Wunderlich, 71 Broome street. The Unions, Third Division of Manhattan College, have organized and comprise A. Ronan, M. Peon, J. Leavy, F. Mariet, J. Weston, T. Conrey, R. Croker, F. Fitzgerald and D. O'Connor, captain. Will play nine under fourteen years.

"Long Island Life"-A New Paper. A new aspirant for public favor appears in the shape of Long Island Life, a weekly paper devoted to the interests of residents of Long Island, containing gossip of the farm and social circles, and will be found interesting to other than residents also. The publisher, Mr. W. H. England, of news agency fame, is well known in newspaper circles and his name alone should be a guarantee of the excellence of his paper, which has met with deserved success, although yet a youngster in the world of newspaperdom.

AFTER the battle of Gettysburg Gen. Meads "Tell Gen. Hancock I regret he is wounded and thank him in the name of the country for the great service rendered today." See particulars in Hancock's history. to be found in TCREISE CROSS CUT CHOAR-

of the Third Dead Sailor.

They Were to Lie in Wait and Kidnap The Building Owned by the Bronson Es- Evidence to Show That the Lost Ship Was Indicted for Bribing Voters at Our Last Paving Stones and Rocks Shot Skywards the Nanticoke. tate of This City.

At Least That's the Yarn That Gets An Incendiary Started the Fire, and She Was on the Way to Honduras and Three Other Eighth Warders Gathered A Gang of the Company's Men at Once New York Firms Are Losers.

with a Loss of \$1,500,000.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. 1 CHICAGO, March 26.—The Central Storage Company's huge six-story and basement structure on the north bank of the river at Rush street was discovered to be on fire about 4 o'clock this morning.

The blaze started in the engine-room and in a brief space of time it had burned through the building and dock to the water's edge, finding ready food in the piles of furniture and other nflammable material with which the great

ready food in the pies of furniture and other inflammable material with which the great building was filled.

The fire boat Geyser played on the structure from the south and two dozen engines from the northeast and west sides.

The flammes ignited the schooner Waukeshabut that blaze was quickly extinguished.

A fourth and then a general slarm was sounded, and the entire department surrounded the furnace-like storage building. The great structure was soon guted.

There was stored in it \$1,000,000 worth of teas and coffees. The principal owners were:

Epnin, Smith & Wyman, of New York; W. P. Roome & Co., New York; Geo. W. Love & Co., New York; W. P. Roome & Co., New York; Geo. W. Love & Co., New York; Geo. W. Love & Co., New York; Geo. W. Love & Co., New York; W. P. Roome & Co., New York & Co., New York & Co., New York; W. P. Roome & Co., N

heat.
Towering flames swept down and licked the buildings across Kinzie street repeatedly. Goods were removed from houses for nearly a block away and the streets were filled with frightened

way and the streets were that nothing could be people.

When it was apparent that nothing could be done to save the warehouse the firemen bent their efforts successfully towards the protection of the Galena elevator.

Mr. Manierre, the proprietor of the warehouse, says the contents were covered by insurance anothat the fire was invendiary.

The aggregate loss is placed at \$1,500,000.

M'ADAM WANTS TO APPEAL.

The Missing Market Clerk Asks That His Warrants Be Vacated.

Lawyer George H. McAdam, brother o Chief Clerk Graham McAdam, of the Market Bureau of the Finance Department, now in exile to avoid arrest on a warrant of commitment for contempt of court, took the first step towards vacating the warrant

He secured an order from Judge Lawrence, of the Supreme Court, directing Commissioners of Accounts Holahan and Barker to show cause be fore him Thursday, at 11 a. M., why an order vacating the warrant of attach-ment granted by Judge Ingraham should not be granted, as well as a further order de-

not be granted, as well as a further order de-termining the questions arising upon the origi-nal order to show cause upon which Mr. Mc-Adam was committed.

This is done that a record be made from which an appeal cau be taken to the General Term.

At present there is no order entered in the rec-ords of the court ou which an appeal may be based—nothing but an order of arrest in the hands of Sheriff Flack.

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Ex-Scustor James Daly, who was appointed by Comptroller Myers Superintendent of Markets, as predicted by The Evenna World, reported for duty this morning, but was informed that the little formality of giving a bond in the penal sum of \$10,000 for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office was necessary before he could qualify.

He accordingly left to get the gentlemen who are to become his sureties, and will probably not begin his work of reforming the Market Burcau until to-morrow.

The Quotations.

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	Open.	High.	Low.
American Cotton Oil	TARAL.	56	35%
Atch Top & Sante Fe	4512	45%	4.334
Brunswick Land	2117	2112	21
Canada Southern	5136	399	51%
Canada Southern Cleve., Col., Cin. & Ind Chesspeake & Ohio	- MA	70	70
Character & Ohio	1000	1636	16%
Chesipeake & Ohio, 1st pref	582	2,027	A475
Chesipacks & Onio, 1st prot	44387	2272	4634
Chicago Gas Trust	90%	6112	8934
Chic., Burl. & Quiney	37277	1632	182
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Del. Lack, & Western	13774	10814	13714
Denver & Rio Grande	424	15.57	154
Denver & Elo Grande pid	4324		
Illinois Central	100	100	100
Lake Shore	100%	10134	100%
Lake Erie & Western pid	65	5516	30
Louisville & Nashville	6114	61%	11074
Manhattan Cousel	514 14	196	19434
Mil., L. S. & Western ptd	85	85%	85
Mil., L. S. & Western ptd	107	107	107
Musouri Pacine	67.	6734	67.
National Lead Trest	20%	204	20%
New Jersey Central,	0.697	9734	180%
N. V. & New England	4334	4394	4334
N. Y., Ch. & St. Louis 1st pfd	69	60	60
N. Y., Lake Erie & Western	2794	2734	2214
N. Y. & Perry Coal	23	20.	96
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Northern Pacific.	2020	95%	12024
Northern Pacific pid	5956	60%	54976
Onio & Mississippi Oregon Ratiway & Navigation	2044	2037	20%
Oregon Railway & Navigation	19554	9024	9516
Oregon Transcontinental	3997	33294	3:214
Oregon Snort Line	5194	52"	0126
Pipe Line certificates	17.156	1952	9334
Philadelphia & Reading	4414	5576	4374
Peoris, Decatur & Evan	100124	2334	23334
Puliman Palace Car Co	180%	180%	180%
Pullman Palace Car Co. rights	20	20	20
Rich. & W. Point Ter.	2764	20%	141776
Rich & W.P. Ter. pref	7.9	73954	710
St. Paul & Omaha ofd	101	10.1	124
St. Louis & Ban Francisco	20	1076	27
St Louis & San Fran. pfd	0.054	5514	9076
Sugar Trust	66.3	8.3	18127-9
Tenn. Coal & Iron.	17.729	158	35734
Tol. Ann Arbor & N. M	44	1243	20.
Tenn. Coal & Iron. Tol., Ann Arbor & N. M. Union Pacific Wabash St. L. & Pacific pfd	1977.6	9274	67374
Wabash St. L. & Pacific pfd	2029	35914	12/324
Western Union Telegraph	8476	55.76	75-576
Wheeling & Lake Erie	0.2	60	62

New York Markets.

Wheat.—The market opened about steady. May opened unchanged at 90%c., and steadily declined until it reached 90c. June opened at 91%c.; July, 91c.; Aug., 88c.; Dec., 92%c. During the morning the quotation advanced to 90%c. and remained about steady, the quotation standing at 90%c. at noon. Cables dull.

Corron.—Futures opened quiet at unchanged prices. March, 10.01; April, 9.99; May, 10.07; June, 10.14; July, 10.21; Aug., 10.28; Sept., 9.88; Oct. 9.69. Cables steady.

Corres.—Contracts opened steady at a decline of 10 to 20 points. March, 16.70; April, 16.75; May, 16.80; June, 16.90; July, 17c.; Aug., 17.10; Sept., 17.25. Cables quiet.

Persolusus.—Pipe line certificates opened unchanged at 92c. and steadily declined until 91%c. was struck. At noon the quotation stood at 91%c. Market dull. New York Markets.

Evening Pastime. Are you reading the absorbingly interesting story that the Morning World is now publishing entitled "A Voyage to Mars?" It is a wou-

derful account of life on another planet; every-body is talking about it. Commence reading it to-morrow (see synops; so preceding chapters in this issue). It beats going to the theatre.

The Wicked Scheme of a Band of A Chicago Storage-House Burned, Made Doubly Dark by the Finding Silver Dollar Smith and Alderman Liberty Street Upheaved by a Steam-

the Wreckage Is Like Hers,

There is much uneasiness among shipping men regarding the identity of the craft the wreck of which bestrews the ocean just off Hatteras.

First, the finding of two dead men on a raft. and then of another body near a submerged lifeboat makes the mystery doubly obscure. Henry R. Kunhardt, ir., who fitted out the Madrid for Gen. Hippolyte, the Haytian rebel, changing the name of the vessel to Conserva. still insists that the wreckage picked up or seen and reported by incoming vessels, does not correspond to the outfit of the Conserva and that he does not believe that that vessel has met with

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and annuard says that he had no expectation of news from the Conserva before Saturday next, and he shall not worry about her safety till then.

At the Maritime Exchange there was no further reports of finds by incoming vessels and nobody would venture an opinion as to the identity of the vessel, remnants of which have been sighted by vessels bound this way.

Mr. Kunhardt says the Conserva's life-raft had on it the name of the vessel in four places, that there were no extension tables, polished banels, ginger-bread wood-work nor solas on the Conserva, and that that vessel must have been at the time of the storm at least four hundred miles further south than the place where the wreckage was seen.

Samuel Holmes, of the Maritime Exchange, thinks the wrecked craft was more likely to be the Nanticoke, a freight and passenger boat, doing service until recently in Chesapeake Bay.

The Nanticoke was bought recently by a Boaton firm and sent on March 19 from Newport News to Honduras. She was loaded to the gunwales when she started and had aboard furnishings which might answer the description given of the wreckage.

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of the wreckage.

It is thought she encountered the fierce equinoctal gales which were blowing at the time, and that being unable to make headway against them put back to Chesapeake Bay.

The Nanticoke measures 140x23x8, and recently had built on the deck a saloon 75 feetlone, with staterooms.

recently had built on the deck a saloon 75 feet long, with staterooms.

This saloon has since proved a source of danger, rendering the vessel toobeavy. The saloon was painted white, and had extension boards, panels and a great many loose chairs, all painted white.

The Nanticoke had a crew of thirteen or four-teen men.

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Others say the Nanticoke would not go so far out to sea. The Portuguese bark Vasco de Gama, from Maranhao. Brazil, reports seeing on Sunday morning twenty-two miles off the Maryland coast a little steam launch bottom up, and the Conserva had such a launch.

Along with the other stories is a revival of the rumor current at the time of the refitting of the Conserva that an enemy of Gen. Hippolyte would smuggle aboard a dynamite cartridge and blow the vessel to smithercens, a story rather startling at this time.

CUTSHALL'S ELOPEMENT.

He Left Little Money and Big Bills for His Wife and Six Children.

IMPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, PITTSBURG, Pa., March 26.-A tale of woe i that told by Mrs. J. F. Cutshall, of Pittsburg's suburb, Brushton. Her husband, who was a baggage-master between Pittsburg and Altoons. has deserted his wife and six children and cloped with an Altoora woman of the town named Minnie Palmer. Before going Cutshall got a thirty-days' leave absence and a pass for himself and wife to Louis. St. Louis.

He drew all his pay and left his wife 50 cents in money, enormous grocery bills and three months back rent.

Cutchal! last week sold a house for his mother, netting \$650, of which the mother got only \$50.

THIRTY LIVES WERE LOST.

Terrible Spanish Steamboat Casualty Among the Philippine Islands.

[BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON, March 26.—News has been received nere of a terrible disaster in the Bay of Manilla, Philippine Island.

The Spanish steamers Mindanao and Nissayas came into collision. The side of the Mindanao was torn away and she sank almost immediately.

Thirty of her crew and passengers were drowned.

The survivors were picked up and taken on board the Nissayas.

The latter was badly damaged, but was able to make her way to port.

Successful Evening Lectures.

Another successful series of the free lectures to working people, seenred by THE EVENING WORLD's bill, was given last evening in seven of the public schools.

The subjects were: "Oiling and Repairing Human Machinery," by Dr. Hanchett: "The Digestive System," by Dr. Roberts; "Novelists and Their Influence," by Prof. Zachos; "Constitutional Law," by Prof A. Clement: "The Dawn of Modern Empire," by Prof. Lincoln: "Coal and Petrolcum, by Prof. Bickmore, and "The Rights and Duties of Citizenship," by Prof. Leipziger.

Quartararo's Trial Begun.

Good-looking Vincenzo Quartararo, indicted for murder in the first degree on the charge of stabbing Antonio Flaccomio to death in front of Cooper Union on Sunday night, Oct. 14, was begun before Recorder Smyth in Part L. Court of General Sessions, to-day.

The jury will hardly be obtained to-day and the proceedings will not begin in carnest before to-morrow. o-morrow. Quartararo's pretty wife sat near him in the Ex-Judge Curtis is conducting the defense.

Lost in Philadelphia and Found Here. Charles A. Lord, a retired Philadelphia merchant of seventy years, whose relatives had tele-graphed that he was missing from his bonne at 44:20 Sansom street, was found stupefied this morning on Thompson street, and after being arraigned in Jefferson Market Court was sent back to Philadelphia.

The Narragaments' Guests. The Narragansett Club will entertain a delegation from the Tammany Hall Central Committee, of the Eighteenth Assembly District at the club-house in West Fifty-fourth street this even-

Mr. Dillon in Egypt.

[BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.]

PORT SAID, Egypt, May 26, -Mr. John Dillon,

M. P., arrived here restorday on his way to Australia. much improved in health. New Line to Baltimore via Jersey Centjal, Reading and B. & O. Quick time. Solid trains. No transfers. Pullman equipment. See sime table, this paper.

TO STEAL GARRETT. GONE UP IN FLAMES. OCEAN'S MYSTERY. HELD FOR BRIBERY. ANOTHER BLOW-UP.

Goetz Arrested.

In on the Same Charges.

There was a tremendous commotion in Eighth Ward political circles when it was learned this morning for certain that indictments had been found against Assemblyman Charles Silver-Dollar Smith, Alderman Christian Goetz, Charles L. Jackson, Moses Issaes and Edward Butler on the charge of bribing voters, and that

itm.
The others grouped themselves in a retired former of the District-Attorney's office, and seemed to be engaged in a very earnest consulta-

corner of the District-Attorney's office, and seemed to be engaged in a very carnest consultation.

None of them had anything to say in regard to his arrest, Alderman Goetz replying in answer to a question by a reporter of The Evenino World.

'What is there to say, anyhow? It's easy enough to indict a man, but you can't most always prove it.

Jackson keeps a liquor store at No. 162 Broome street, and Isaacs is in the dry-goods business at No. 7 Duane street, with the film of Morris & Batt.

They are all workers with the Johnnie O'Brien machine of the Eighth District, and were singled out by the Reform Association as the likeliest people to get evidence against.

Veterans at the District-Attorney's office said it reminded them of old times to see so many politicians there together under indictment, trying to get bail, and they relassied old stories of how they used to send out early in the morning and bring in Aldermen by the truckional and deliver them at the front door in charge of detectives.

Counsellor Howe was a conspicuous figure, and in a brand-new light spring overcost of tremendonely wide cut in the back and a sky-blue alk necktic with a big solitaire glistening right in the middle of it, was rushing around everywhere and trying to keep his four clients in good spirits.

No one appeared from the City Reform Associ-

spirits.

No one appeared from the City Reform Association and the prosecution was in the hands of Assistant District-Attorney Bos Passos.

The indictments against the prisoners charge them with violating the election laws in buying votes at the last election.

At 11.30 Alderman Goetz and his three companions were taken unstains to Part L. and in

At 11.30 Algerman Goetz and his three com-panions were taken upstairs to Part L. and, in answer to the summons of Clerk Hall, presented themselves at the bar before indge Gildersleeve. There were eight indictments against Alder-man Goetz and one each against the others, in-cluding Assemblyman Smith, who had not yet made his appearance. Mede his appearance.

Before pleading Lawyer Howe asked for leave curred?

"Who demur to the indictments, and after some liscussion he was given until April 2 to put in "Who

demurrers.

In regard to the indictments, the counsellor characterized them as mean and sneaking and without any foundation whatever, but simply gotten up for political purposes.

The evidence before the Grand Jury, furnished by the City Reform Association, he said, was gathered by a man named Morris, who acted as a detective for the Reform Association. He was, he declared, an English convict, and that the English Government was at the present time taking measures to have him extradited from this country on the charge of murder.

"As for bail," continued Mr. Howe, "I think Alderman Goetz and Assemblyman Smith ought to be discharged on their own recognizance.

Adderman Goetz and Assemblyman Smith ought to be discharged on their own recognizance, while no more than \$1,000 should be fixed in the other cases,

"The charge is monstrous, and an attempt to push the same proceedings against Smith at Albany was unsuccessful."

Assistant District-Attorney Dos Passos claimed that heavy bail should be fixed, especially in Goetz's case, against whom eight indictments were pending, and Judge Gildersleeve fixed it finally at \$2,000 for Goetz and \$1,000 each for the others.

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Shortly after the first batch had retired Detective Kierpan, who had arrested his prisoner in Centre street, brought in the Silver Bollar Assemblyman. He pleaded not guilty and was put under \$1,000 ball.

The secused furnished the following bondsmen: Assemblyman Smith, Mayer Cohen, real estate, 62 E-sex street; Alderman Goetz, George T. Bleil, hat trimmings, 106 Eddridge street; Charles L. Jackson, Philip Roth, butcher, 223 East Broadway; Mones Isaacs and Edward Butler, Jacob Barnett, soda water, 102 Norfolk street.

SETTLING DAY AT PARIS.

It Comes To-Morrow and the Foreign Markets Await It in Suspense.

IBY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION. LONDON, March 26, -To-morrow is to be set-tling day on the Bourse at Paris, and when the settlement is completed some idea may be formed of the losses caused by the recent crisis and the effect upon men and markets.

Everybody here is waiting to see how Paris gets through the day. No business is doing on Change and reports from the Continental bourses show that affairs are equally at a standstill there.

In Time to Be Annexed.

PORTLAND, Me., March 26.—The steamer Parisian, arriving to-day, brought eighty boys who were picked up from the slums of London and sent over to homes already obtained for them in Canada. The little fellows gave three hearty cheers "for land" on arriving.

At Clifton To-Morrow. IMPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. RACE TRACE, CLIFTON, N. J., March 20. Here are the Clifton entries for Wednesday. March 27:

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First Race-Purse \$250: selling allowances, sevensigning of a mile.—Regulus, 120: Effe Hardy, 118.

Finn Park 11: Van 10: Refund, 108: Savage, 108:

Bay Ridge, 108 lb.

Becould Race-Purse \$250: selling allowances; sevensigniths of a mile.—Lakewood, 117: Palatks, 116; Beimont, 118: Top Savyer, 118: Chinese Gordon, 114

Avery, 118: Monte Cristo, 118: Lemon Blossm, 104:

Hot Bootch, 104: Arthur W., 101 lb.

Third Race-Purse \$500: selling allowances; one mile
and a sixteenti-Ten Booker 110; Littlefellew II., 104:
Oaccola, 104: Tax-isto ver, 104: Count Luna, 104:
Van, 106 Keystone, 100 lb.

Fourth Race-Purse \$500: handicar seven-sighths
of a mile.—Baliston, 120: Dramatick, 120: Barnus,
120: Bonnie S., 118: Speedwell, 110: Chancellor,
121: Relayood, 10; Avery, 109: Mattis Locanus,
106: Souventr, 103: Zassiocca, 109: Len en, 100:

Sina W., 110: Alan Archer, 110: Sissuit, 100: Triz,
110: Bishop, 110: bongster, 110: Repudiator, 110: Ravei
ler, 110: Sparling, 110: Ospulin, 110 lb.

Trench Explosion.

With Great Force.

Set to Work to Cover Up the Damage.

Following directly upon the terrible gas xplosions of yesterday comes another upheaval of one of our streets in the lower par

of the city this morning. It was just about 7 A. M. when this latest blow-up occurred. It happened in front of



APTER THE LIBERTY STREET BLOW-UP. ime to see a huge column of steam, topped by rocks, dirt and paving stones, shooting

skyward.

Such was the force of the shock that at least twenty of the big paving stones were upbeaved and torn from their beds.

The scalding vapor poured out in volumes and the street was impassable to either pedestrians or vehicles.

The firemen of Engine Company No 41 rushed out in alarm but quickly scurried back as the steam brushed their faces.

Finally a force of men from the New York Steam Company appeared and with commendable promittinde commenced to conceal ail evidences of an explosion.

Each and every one denied that there bad been any explision, and everyone swore it was simply a leak.

An Evening World reporter tried to interview some of the members of Engine Company No. 4, but their reticence was most surprising. They knew nothing about it whatever, and were amazed, seemingly, at the presence of steam in the street.

presence of steam in the street. One of the firemen was questioned in this

wise:
"Were you here when that explosion oc-What explosion."

"Why, the steam-pipe, out here."
"Oh, yes, I was here."
"Well, what do you know about it."

"Nothing."
"Is the foreman here?"
"Yes, he's upstairs."
"Can I see him?"
"No you can't."
"Why?"

"Because you can't; that's why,"
Similar questions applied to other members of the company resu'ted in the same manner.

William Widlick, janitor of 32 Liberty street, was also non-committal. He said it was a leak. The leak must have been a big one, and the spout of steam high, for an icy coating could be seen on the building. He said that he had been washing windows. Two policemen, however, are authority for the news of the explosion, and the reticence of firemen and others make it a singular oc-

FOR LITTLE RHODY'S SENATOR.

The First Day's Balloting Over Jonathau

Chace's Successor. SEPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 26.—The branches f the State Legislature voted separately to-day for a United States Senator to succeed Mr. Chace, resigned. In the Senate the result was: Dixon, 22; Wetmore, 5; Arnold, 6; Goddard, 1; Colt, 1; C. S. Smith. 1; absent, 1.
In the House: Dixon, 19; Colt, 4; Wetmore, 23; Durfee, 5; William Goddard, 1; R. H. G. Goddard, 4; Arnold, 10; Taft, 2; Roote, 1

The joint ballot will take place to-morrow. CLARA MORRIS IS EXHAUSTED, TOO.

But It Is a Case of Abscesses and Not of Nervousness. St. Louis, Mo., March 26.—Miss Clara Mor-

ris is on her way to New York, having cancelled her Baltimore engagement. She is suffering from exhaustion following the formation of two abscesses, one on each hip, and the operation of having them lancest. She will rest for the week in New York.

JOHN BRIGHT IS SINKING.

He Has Had a Relapse and Taken No Food for Thirty-six Hours.

[BT CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON, March 26,-Mr. John Bright has suffered another relapse and is very weak. He has not taken food for thirty-six hours, except from a spoon.
Dr. Hoyle, Mr. Bright's physician, says he is gradually sinking.

Bead at the Bottom of the Stairs.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.) Ansonia, Conn., March 26.-Andrew Dauer, a German aged thirty years, was found dead at the bottom of a flight of stairs at Roberts's gro-cery store this morning with his face badly bruised. Foul play is answedted. A Regency for Holland.

INT CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.]
THE HAGUE, March 26.—The Cabinet has decided that the King is unable to continue to govern and a Regency will be appointed imme-

PRICE ONE CENT.

FATAL FIRE.

A Holocaust Reported in Brooklyn This Afternoon.

mine and it shook the surrounding buildings Flames Burn the Stairway of a Big Shoe Factory.

> Twenty Persons Said to Be Injured and Several Killed.

Girls and Men Throw Themselves from the Windows.

A conflagration which has probably caused a large loss of life is raging in Brooklyn this af-Nearly the whole of the Fire Department is as

the scene, but at the hour of this edition going to press the flames were still in progress. It broke out about 1.30 o'clock, in the big shoe factory at Broadway and Kent street.

There were many employees at work at the

The work of the flames was very rapid, and in few moments the neighborhood was slarmed. A policeman rang out a general alarm from a neighboring fire-box.

Before the firemen arrived the stairway that

forded communication with the upper floors,

where many men and girls were at their labors, caught fire. All escape to the street by this exit was out off. Then there was sent out a call for ambulances. The terrified people in the burning building and tried to get out the best way they could.

Many were injured while trying to escape by ray of the windows. Late reports by telephone say that at least twenty persons are injured and that it is be-

lieved that several have been killed. Many girls flung themselves headlong into

A BLOW TO BLUFFING.

Champions Must Now Fight for

\$1,000 a Side.

For ten years at least there has been a tendency on the part of the pugilists holding championship bonors to fight only those whom they cared to meet or thought they could whip, and to freeze out all others by declining to fight unless for some enormous stake that the challenger could not possibly put up. Heavy, light and middle-weight champic have alike done this, and the tendency has

men, who, had they opportunity, might orove themselves equal to the best. Recently THE EVENING WORLD took the side of the under dog, and suggested that the champions must fight for \$1,000 a side to retain the championship, if so challenged.

been to keep in the background really good

Many persons interested in athletic sports were interviewed, and the necessity of such a rule was the universal opinion. Mr. Richard K. Fox, whose diamond belts represent the championships in the four classes of prize-fighters, has apparently seen the mat-ter in the same light as The Evening World, and has issued the following:

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New York, March 25, 1889.

New York is any content.

All pugilists who claim they hold either the feather, light, middle or heavy-weight champonhip of America must defend their tirles against all challengers who issue bona lide challenges—that is, when they are accompanied by a forfeit of \$50 and upwards—and contend for \$1,000 as side, unless it is optional with the challenges the amount over \$1,000.

A champion need not pay any attention to any challenge wherein the party issuing the said dedesires to contend for less than \$1,000.

Should any champion in the feather, light, middle and heavy-weight pugilistic division refuse to accept any challenge in which the party issuing the said challenge in which the party issuing the said challenge has posted a forfeit and agreed to meet the champion for \$1,000 a side, then the holder of the title will from the date of the time customary (two weeks) be compelled to accept or refuse the said challenge, or he shall forfeit suy trophy representing the title in his possession and relinquita the championship, and the title and trophy shall be awarded to the challenger, providing he is ready to defend the same according to the conditions and rules governing the prize ring championships.

As all of the present champions hold Mr.

As all of the present champions hold Mr. Fox's belts the above proclamation is of great importance.

Here is now a chance for new blood, and let the best men win.

> An Ordinary Case. [From the St Louis Bumorist,]

Mrs. Testy (looking up from the paper)-Isn's this strange? A Californian after a fit of illness was absolutely unable to remember his wife and did not believe she was the one he married.
Mr. Testy.—Well. I dunno. It's pretty hard
work sometimes for a man to realise that his
wife is the same woman he once, went crany over.